

Evening Chat

The Knights of America a boy's club formed early this spring by Rev. J. W. Brown of the Palatine Baptist church is attracting wide spread attention because of the interest it is arousing in the youth of the First ward. The club has a membership of over fifty boys, these divided into two branches, one for the older boys and one for the younger boys.

Members of the first branch are called Knights. This branch is composed of boys between the ages of twelve and seventeen. The second branch is composed of young people whose ages range from eight to twelve. They are called pages. The object of the club is to interest the younger generation in some branch of work and to improve conditions in the First ward. It is planned that sometime in the future when they are able to build an addition to the Baptist church and to dig the basement so that they will be able to have a gymnasium. This will take sometime but the boys are interested in the undertaking and are determined to carry it through.

An assessment of five cents a month is charged to the younger boys while the boys of the senior club are charged ten cents a month. In this way the club is able to defray expenses and buy some necessary articles. Any boy wishing to join the club will be admitted whether he is a member of the Palatine Sunday school or no.

The summer months are being spent in interesting the boys in athletics. Baseball games are being held as are other forms of athletics. It is planned to have a tennis tournament sometime later in the summer, the winter to begin a handsome racquet.

As compared with some of the other states West Virginia does not go in very strong for life insurance. According to the statistics compiled by the Insurance Press there was just one policy valued at over \$100,000 paid in this state in 1915. That policy was for \$110,000 and was taken out by Michael Puc of Marlinton. Other life insurance policies paid in this state during 1915 are as follows:

Charleston—Charles Ward, \$37,187; Henry Prichard, \$20,000; J. L. Richardson, \$18,000; H. W. Knight, \$15,000; John T. Parks, \$12,000; George R. Wendling, \$11,577; name not given, \$10,000; name not given, \$10,000.

Clarksburg—Charles S. Smiley, \$10,000.

Hinton—Harvey Ewart, \$36,500.

Huntington—Morton G. Watson, \$35,000; Cyrus D. Van Bibber, \$30,000; Lewisburg—Henry T. Bell, \$10,450; Mannington—W. D. Smith, \$38,000; Martinsburg—Name not given, \$15,000; name not given, \$15,000.

Moorefield—James W. Gillespie, \$14,780.

Pence Springs—Andrew P. Pence, \$10,000.

Point Pleasant—Name not given, \$12,886.

Weston—Henry Brannon, \$18,770.

Wheeling—Name not given, \$13,576; name not given, \$12,732; name not given, \$12,547; Morgan O. Hart, \$10,000; Henry M. Russell, \$10,000.

Woodland—Name not given, \$10,000.

Total insurance payments in West Virginia towns in which over \$10,000 was paid were as follows:

Wheeling, \$289,750; Charleston, \$230,500; Huntington, \$136,750; Clarksburg, \$94,250; Marlinton, \$91,000; Hinton, \$89,125; Parkersburg, \$77,125; Martinsburg, \$72,500; Point Pleasant, \$54,500; Mannington, \$45,500; Bluefield, \$41,500; Fairmont, \$41,500; Moorefield, \$39,250; Princeton, \$37,500; Weston, \$32,250; Ripley, \$20,250; Vivian, \$19,250; Lewisburg, \$17,250; Milton, \$17,250; Glenwood, \$16,250; Pennsboro, \$16,250; Pence Springs, \$16,000; Summers County, \$16,000; Woodland, \$16,000; Morgantown, \$12,000; Philippi, \$12,000; Winfred, \$12,000; Cairo, \$11,000; Clay, \$11,000; Durgon, \$11,000; Moundsville, \$11,000; Newell, \$11,000; West Union, \$10,000.

Payments under \$10,000 were made in 56 cities and towns.

SEVEN THOUSAND

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ask yourself if it isn't worth while taking chances.

But the beauty of the West Virginian Seven Thousand club is the fact, that YOU CANNOT LOSE. You are absolutely certain that you will be paid for everything you do. No matter whether you secure one subscription or a hundred—as long as they are new—you will be paid a liberal cash salary for your efforts. Could anything be more fair than this?

Subscriptions for the West Virginian are easy to get. It is recognized as the leading evening newspaper of the central part of the state of course people will say "We don't care for it," we "Take too many papers now," or "We really don't like a Republican newspaper," or some other lame excuse. Surely you would not let such things prevent you from winning a splendid automobile or Piano, or one of the other big prizes. Take a pencil and sit down a minute. In less than no time you can figure out a suitable answer for each and every one of these excuses. For instance the man who tells you he would not read a Republican newspaper would not be likely to inquire of a merchant whether he was a Republican or Democrat as long as he offered good bargains, or the greatest value for his money. The same thing is true in regard to the West Virginian. It is the newest newspaper with the most up-to-the-minute news. Could there be a better reason than that for becoming one of the big happy family of readers.

The List

You will note that the list tonight shows many changes. There were a large number of votes polled yesterday by the candidates and their friends. Interest is intense, and the general public is getting more and more interested in the final outcome. Look over the list, and see if your friend's name is at the top. If not turn in your subscription for him or her now while you will receive the votes for it. Don't put it off. ACT AT ONCE.

DISTRICT NO. 1

This district includes the City of Fairmont only, and has no connection with District No. 2. Every active club member in the district will receive a prize.

FAIRMONT

James Moore 32,000

THE MOVIES CATCH 'EM ALL!



Edna May

Mrs. Oscar Lewisohn (Edna May), well remembered for her work as the Salvation Army lassie in "The Belle of New York," is starring in a film play soon to be released.

Mildred Eliason	217,340	Mary Lawson	158,500
Iva Bennett	206,030	Charles Arp	38,910
Grace Hamilton	195,320	GRANT TOWN	
Mrs. Maud Miller	194,129	Eva Huden	48,950
Howard Woodward	169,250	SHINSTON	
Beulah Walker	198,240	Lucy Hartley	112,340
Katherine Ford	125,840	Agnes Wilkeson	22,040
Grace Brown	200,150	Virgil Hertzog	85,610
Virtue Horner	196,230	Linnie Tennant	118,650
Frankie Brand	106,340	Margaret James	8,420
Blanche Tchinski	203,040	METZ	
Grace Adams	224,050	Marie Baker	28,460
Anna Ashcraft	228,390	Creola Mooreland	24,960
Mae Clark	228,030	A Midsummer Art Calendar Free.	
Arthur Fisher	163,120	One of the most attractive features	
Mrs. U. E. Crawford	225,030	of The New York World's Sunday	
Lester C. Sherrard	164,080	edition on July 9 will be a magnificent	
Charles McCray	228,340	Midsummer Art Calendar, being a	
Miss Grace L. Merrifield	64,120	lithographic reproduction of the very	
Leatha Poe	219,480	highest class of Miss Pearl White, the	
Willie Watkins	217,410	famous moving picture star, in a char-	
Grace McMinn	97,040	acteristic pose. This is fit for fram-	
Jack Sanner	86,250	ing and will be given free with the	
Miss Flossie McCaulley	148,360	Sunday World. Be sure you get your	

DISTRICT NO. 2

This district includes all territory outside Fairmont, and has no connection with District No. 1. Every active club member in this list will receive a prize or a cash award.

RIVESVILLE

Ora Arnett	186,710
Mildred Pason	226,910
Mrs. French Williams	74,310
Emma Hawkins	240,710
Gertrude Harris	124,030
Della Cordray	102,030

GLOVERS GAP

Glenn Barr	215,020
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FARMINGTON

Olo V. Lough	201,720
Cora V. Price	180,100
Lois Grose	172,690

CATAWBA

John Holland	205,250
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BARRACKVILLE

Margaret Berry	212,610
Kenneth Barrackman	226,130

FAIRVIEW

Sallie E. Martin	212,150
Elizabeth Sine	126,410
Pearl Martin	216,310
Vivian Flowers	189,050
George Hamilton	89,150

MANNINGTON

Nellie Cunningham	145,070
Mrs. W. C. Hunter	204,030
Alta Athle	231,160

WORTHINGTON

Blake Billingsley	236,050
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BROOMFIELD

Irene Rudy	240,140
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ENTERPRISE

Miss Opal Preston	115,020
Miss Alice Murphy	34,910

MONTANA MINES

Opal Harris	102,360
Walter Curnette	190,310

LITTLE FALLS

Lile Stewart	187,150
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LOWESVILLE

Bessie Stewart	196,040
Maggie Fisher	72,110

BAXTER

W. R. Tuckwiller	230,160
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HUNDRED

Ruby Orr	42,050
Vada Minor	90,110

FAIRMONT, R. D. NO. 3

Samuel Harris	194,360
Hazel Nuzum	115,840
Miss Edna Murphy	198,050
Carrie Brown	197,040

WATSON

Grace Ice	204,120
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JUNIOR

Frank Matthew	54,980
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MONONGAH

Bonnie Flemming	203,050
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SMITHTOWN.

Frank Satterfield who has been sick all spring is able to be in his store this week.

Mrs. Lowry Grubb is visiting her son Charles at Grafton.

Miss Lou Carder of Fairmont is spending a few days with her parents near here.

Should Be Fried on Both Sides.

From the Rockefeller Institute comes the statement that if an egg is fried on one side only there are so many bacteria which take refuge on the unfried side that they may make one ill, but if the egg is cooked on both sides the bacteria cannot escape death and the egg may be eaten with no fear of the consequences.

COLONIAL

ALL THIS WEEK

Daily 2:30—7:30—9:00

Aviation Girls

In a repertoire of classy and up-to-date

Musical Comedies

Featuring

Ludlow Allen and

Fred Kramer

COMEDIANS

Miss Elenore Brown

DANCER

The Bonita Trio

Harmony Singers

and that classy Aviation Chorus.

Same Popular Prices

NELSON TOMORROW

—THEATER— THURSDAY

ORPHAN JOYCE

Joyce Fair and John Cosser are the two prominent stars in this two reel Essanay.

THE BEGGAR KING

The Nelson offers another good picture in this two reel Lubin featuring Robert Gray, Jay Morely and Eleanor Blevins. A most interesting story of the dual life of a New York banker.

THE BEGGAR AND HIS CHILD

A good comedy, just released June 20. Has never been shown before.

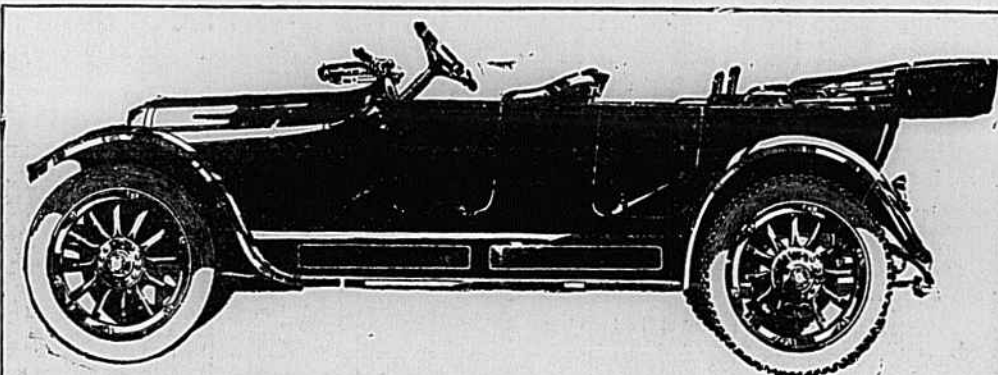
THE THEATER BEAUTIFUL

Open From 1 to 11 P. M. Admission 5c.



YOU CAN WIN! \$3,200 IN PRIZES

This big sum of money is to be given away in a big newly opened contest by the West Virginian. The contest being open to everyone naturally offers you a splendid opportunity. There is nothing hard to do. Filling out the nomination blank is all you need to do in order to enter the campaign. You win a prize by securing votes, and there are thousands of votes going to waste daily right in your vicinity. This isn't the first contest the West Virginian has conducted. In each of the other contests people won valuable prizes—and they were people in the same circumstances you are—but never before have so many and such valuable prizes been offered. This is a real opportunity for you.



First Grand Prize in Seven Thousand Club—Purchased from Fairmont Motor Car Co.

The Best Weeks of the Campaign Are Ahead of You—ACT TODAY

The Prize List

Six Cylinder Overland Automobile, \$1145.00, purchased from the Fairmont Motor Car Co.

Two High Grade Pianos, \$350 and \$300, purchased from Russell Kuhn.

Two Edison Diamond Disc Talking Machines, \$100, purchased from Ross Furniture Co.

Two Merchandise Orders, \$50 each, at any store in Fairmont.

Two Hooseier Kitchen Cabinets, purchased from Ross Furniture Company.

Six Hallmark Watches, purchased from Scott Jewelry Store.

Two beautiful Diamonds.

Total value with estimated cash salaries \$3,200

NEW BONUS OFFER

Beginning today we will give Seventy five thousand bonus votes with each club of eight subscriptions for one year, or their equivalent. Subscriptions may be either new or renewal for any length of time. The bonus votes will be in addition to the regular votes with each subscription. Offer closes next Saturday night at nine o'clock.

The Bigger You Are the Bigger Profit You Will Make From This—Remember You Get Both Votes and Commissions on the Subscriptions Secured—And You Get the Same Number Votes on Renewal Subscriptions That You Do on New Ones

Address 7,000 CLUB Dept. The West Virginian, Fairmont, W. Va.

Drop in, phone or write. This is real chance for you. Will you do it, especially when it costs you nothing and does not interfere with your regular work? Clip out the nomination blank today.

The West Virginian 7,000 Club Ten Free Vote Coupon

This coupon good for ten free votes when cut out and sent in to the Mgr. West Virginian 7000 Club, Fairmont, W. Va.

Name of Club Member

Address

Signed

District..... Each member may send in as

many of these as it is possible to collect. Not good after June

24th.

Nominate a Club Member

Nomination Blank Good For 5,000 Votes.

The West Virginian 7,000 Club \$3,200 in Prizes

I Nominate

Address

Signed

Address

Nominations will be held strictly confidential. Only one blank

will be accepted for any one member.